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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
-EXPEDITED PROCEDURE-
EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 2822**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Jong-won Lee et al. Group Art Unit: 2822

SERIAL NO: 09/899,627 Examiner: Guerrero, Maria F.

FILED: July 5, 2001 Docket: 8021-55 (SS-14743-US)

FOR: SOLUTION FOR CHEMICAL MECHANICAL POLISHING
AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING COPPER METAL
INTERCONNECTION LAYER USING THE SAME

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- [] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [X] No additional fee is required.

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TOTAL 15	MINUS 27	=	X 9 \$	X 18 \$ 0
INDEP. 1	MINUS 3	=	X 42 \$	X 84 \$ 0
□ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			X 140 \$	X 280 \$
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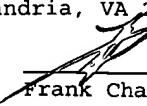
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Respectfully submitted,

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